

**Table 1: Total government liabilities\* (\$millions), 2000/01**

	<i>Direct debt</i>	<i>Debt guarantees</i>	<i>Contingent liabilities and contractual commitments</i>	<i>Program obligations</i>	<i>Total government liabilities</i>
<b>British Columbia</b>	12,783	524	1,319	73,222	87,848
<b>Alberta</b>	(10,056)	11,055	10,359	62,829	74,187
<b>Saskatchewan</b>	8,395	312	389	15,049	24,145
<b>Manitoba</b>	9,643	435	1,163	17,326	28,567
<b>Ontario</b>	102,550	22,326	22,670	237,353	384,899
<b>Quebec</b>	100,367	46,113	19,559	240,163	406,202
<b>New Brunswick</b>	6,514	297	349	10,135	17,295
<b>Nova Scotia</b>	11,451	364	1,496	13,138	26,449
<b>Prince Edward Island</b>	1,066	15	3,541	1,771	6,393
<b>Newfoundland</b>	9,450	1,332	241	6,447	17,470
<b>Yukon Territory</b>	(308)	46	70	626	434
<b>Northwest Territories**</b>	36	187	280	1,306	1,809
<b>All Provinces</b>	251,891	83,006	61,437	679,364	1,075,698
<b>Federal Government</b>	545,300	52,648	101,686	807,115	1,506,749
<b>Canada (all inclusive)</b>	797,191	135,654	163,123	1,486,478	2,582,446***

\* Provincial data includes liabilities of local governments; \*\* includes Nunavut; \*\*\* number may not add due to rounding.  
Sources: Statistics Canada, Canadian and Provincial Public Accounts, 18th Actuarial Report on The Canadian Pension Plan; calculations by the authors.